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Dear Paul,

record 11, sorry I was so long ~~rxxpxnd~~ responding to your inquiry about PM 96.

You should have received my answer by now. but on the chance there is some question, or that I misread yourquestion, I enclose the best copy I can make with the only paper I have, out-of-date. The top part is fairly clear.

Another subject: The NYTimes did not come to our town today, and the Washington Post carried neither, but there are two itesms on radio news that interest me, if your papers carried them and you saved (any of you-and Hal can help here). One is Foreman's comment on the Chicago contempt-of-court s ntencing of the lawyers:"If I couldn't control my clients, I'd resign from the case". How perfectly suited to COUP II, where I can still add to notes. The other is a story that apparently was leaked to or dug up by an Italian paper saying there has been a government (including both FBI and CIA) of the press, with reference including an alleged magazine subsidization of Garrison. I am confident this was not the case, but I am interested in any FBI investigation of such a thing, whether or not it happened.

I hear Lifton is selling copies of the Shaneyfelt and Zapruder testimony for $15.00. Do you know whether he is selling any, what he is selling, his source (which would intrest me much with Shaneyfelt, since the prosecurion did not buy that), and whether or not he is selling other testimony? I cannot imagine his really seeing enough value in Zaprider's to offer it for sale. I have just recommendeded to you and others that you not both to copy it, reading it instead and excerpting whatever might be of interest (including significant error that cannot, honorably, be used because we know it is error).

Nothing really new. Simmons told me they do not have anything on the panel except the final, mimeographed copy. In other words, they are selling the DJ press release, the attachments to the Hallback brief, and, from his word, have nothing else. There has been no response to my letter to heads on this.

Sincerely,